

Date: March 18, 2019

To,
BSE Limited
The Corporate Relationship Department,
P J Towers, Dalal Street,
Mumbai - 400001
BSE Security Code: 533162

Dear Sir,

Sub: Proposed open offer of fully paid-up equity shares of face value of Rs. 10/- each (the "Equity Shares") of Hathway Bhawani Cabletel & Datacom Limited (the "Target Company") by Jio Content Distribution Holdings Private Limited ("Acquirer 1"), Jio Internet Distribution Holdings Private Limited ("Acquirer 2"), Jio Cable and Broadband Holdings Private Limited ("Acquirer 3") (hereinafter Acquirer 1, Acquirer 2 and Acquirer 3 are collectively referred to as the "Acquirers") together with Reliance Industries Limited ("PAC 1"), Digital Media Distribution Trust ("PAC 2"), Reliance Content Distribution Limited ("PAC 3") and Reliance Industrial Investments and Holdings Limited ("PAC 4") (hereinafter PAC 1, PAC 2, PAC 3 and PAC 4 are collectively referred to as the "PACs"), in their capacity as the persons acting in concert with the Acquirers under the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Substantial Acquisition of Shares and Takeovers) Regulations, 2011 and subsequent amendments thereto (the "SEBI (SAST) Regulations") (the "Open Offer")

With reference to the captioned Open Offer, it is hereby informed that, in terms of 26(7)(ii) of the SEBI (SAST) Regulations, the statement of the "Recommendations of the Committee of Independent Directors", has been published in the same newspapers where the Detailed Public Statement ("DPS") of the open offer was published viz:

- 1. Financial Express English (all editions)
- 2. Jansatta Hindi (all editions)
- 3. Loksatta Marathi (all editions)
- 4. Indian Express English (all editions)

A copy of the same is enclosed herewith for your kind perusal

Request you to take the above submission on record

For Hathway Bhawani Cabletel & Datacom Limited

Pallavi Balkur

Company Secretary and Compliance Officer

ACS No: 32276

Encl: As above

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| 5. | Name of the Manager to the offer | JM Financial Limited | | | |
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For and on behalf of Committee on Open Offer of Hathway Bhawani Cabletel & Datacom Limited Sd/Dilip Worah

Independent Director DIN: 00047252

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